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EXAMINER: Kosar, Andrew D.

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ART UNIT: 1654

FOR: METHODS OF INHIBITING INFLAMMATION

Mail Stop Amendment

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith for filing in the present application are the following documents:

1. Response to Restriction Requirement dated April 7, 2005 (2 pgs.);
2. Petition for Extension of Time (1 pg.);
3. Check No. 21043 in the amount of \$795.00 to cover the Extension Fee; and
4. Return Postcard.

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at (617) 542-6000, Boston, Massachusetts.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or to credit any overpayment, to the undersigned's account, Deposit Account No. 50-0311 Ref. No. 18989-033. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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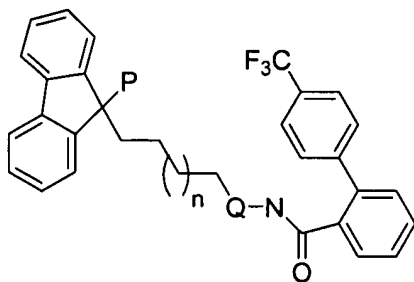
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RESPONSE

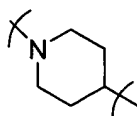
In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed April 7, 2005, Applicants elect the invention of Group VI (Claims 21-23, 35-37 and 44-46), drawn to a method of inhibiting inflammation with a heterocyclic MTP inhibitor. Applicants further elect the species of having the Formula:



wherein n is 1;

wherein P is ; and

wherein Q is



A response is due on September 7, 2005 with a four month extension of time. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or to credit any overpayment, to the undersigned's account, Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Ref. No. 18989-003. Should any questions or issues arise concerning this application, the Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned at the telephone number provided below.

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